Ultura Irons

Instruction Booklet

This book covers the use and care of the following Ultura Irons:

SR5555	Ultura 55 Platinum	Shot & Spray Iron
SR5540	Ultura ♥ Platinum	Shot & Spray Iron
SR5430	Ultura 30 Platinum	Shot of Steam Iron

Please read these instructions carefully
and retain for future reference.

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Sunbeam's Safety Precautions

SAFETY PRECAUTIONS FOR YOUR IRON

- Do not leave a hot iron within reach of children. If they come into contact with a hot iron it could lead to serious burns.
- Iron only on an ironing board.
- An iron takes approximately 30 minutes to cool down. Allow the iron to cool completely before storing.
- Do not wind the cord around the soleplate while the iron is still hot.
- Do not leave the iron unattended while it is plugged into the power outlet.
- Always unplug the iron from the power outlet before filling or emptying the water tank.
- The iron must be used and rested on a stable surface.
- The iron is not to be used if it has been dropped, if there are visible signs of damage or if it is leaking.

Sunbeam is very safety conscious when designing and manufacturing consumer products, but it is essential that the product user also exercise care when using an electrical appliance. Listed below are precautions which are essential for the safe use of an electrical appliance:

- Read carefully and save all the instructions provided with an appliance.
- Always turn the power off at the power outlet before you insert or remove a plug. Remove by grasping the plug - do not pull on the cord.
- Turn the power off and remove the plug when the appliance is not in use and before cleaning.
- Do not use your appliance with an extension cord unless this cord has been checked and tested by a qualified technician or service person.
- Always use your appliance from a power outlet of the voltage (A.C. only) marked on the appliance.
- This appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety.
- Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.
- The temperature of accessible surfaces may be high when the appliance is operating.
- Never leave an appliance unattended while in use.
- Do not use an appliance for any purpose other than its intended use.
- Do not place an appliance on or near a hot gas flame, electric element or on a heated oven.
- Do not place on top of any other appliance.
- Do not let the power cord of an appliance hang over the edge of a table or bench top or touch any hot surface.
- Do not operate any electrical appliance with a damaged cord or after the appliance has been damaged in any manner. If damage is suspected, return the appliance to the nearest Sunbeam Appointed Service Centre for examination, repair or adjustment.
- For additional protection, Sunbeam recommend the use of a residual current device (RCD) with a tripping current not exceeding 30mA in the electrical circuit supplying power to your appliances.
- Do not immerse the appliance in water or any other liquid unless recommended.
- Appliances are not intended to be operated by means of an external timer or separate remote control system.
- This appliance is intended to be used in household and similar applications such as: staff kitchen areas in shops, offices and other working environments; farm houses; by clients in hotels, motels and other residential type environments; bed and breakfast type environments.

If you have any concerns regarding the performance and use of your appliance, please visit www.sunbeam.com.au or contact the Sunbeam Consumer Service Line.
Ensure the above safety precautions are understood.

Features of your Sunbeam Ultura Iron

Powerful shot of steam
Pressing the shot of steam button instantly produces a powerful shot of steam to remove stubborn wrinkles.

Vertical shot of steam
Pressing the shot of steam button with the iron in an upright position produces a vertical shot of steam, which is ideal for steaming curtains and suits, and removing creases from delicate fabrics.

Fine spray mist (SR5555 & SR5540)
Pressing the spray button provides a fine mist spray to dampen hard-to-iron fabrics.

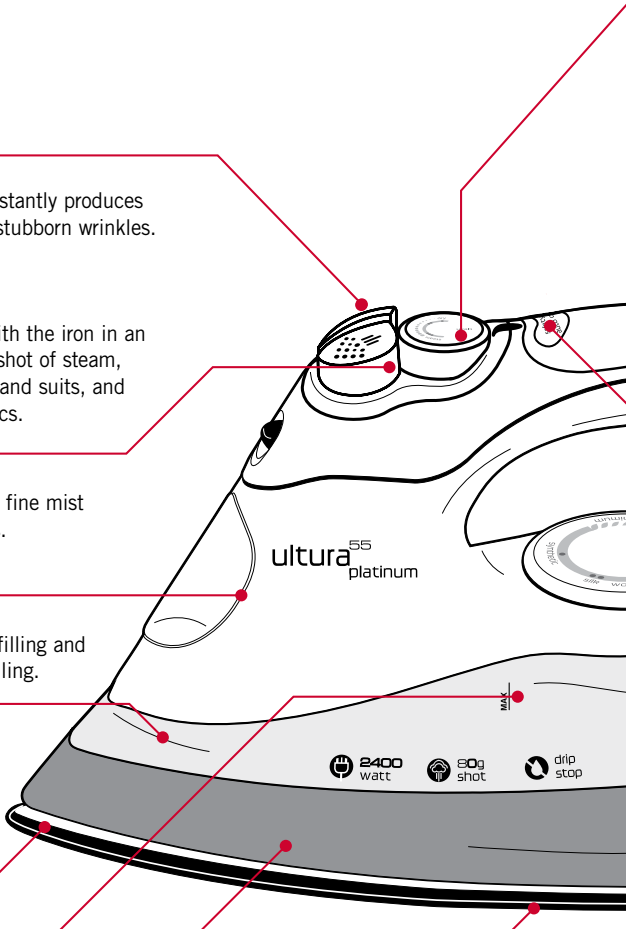
Water inlet
The wide water inlet allows for easy filling and features a rubber seal to prevent spilling.

Extra large, easy-fill water tank
Holds up to 280mL of water for continual high steam performance, without having to refill the tank regularly.

Full length button groove
For ironing around buttons.

Maximum water level indicator
Indicates the maximum water level when the iron is in the upright position.

2400W Fast heat up (SR5555 only)
Provides faster initial heat up and rapid heat recovery during ironing. The 2400W element better maintains your selected temperature, and provides superior shot of steam output.

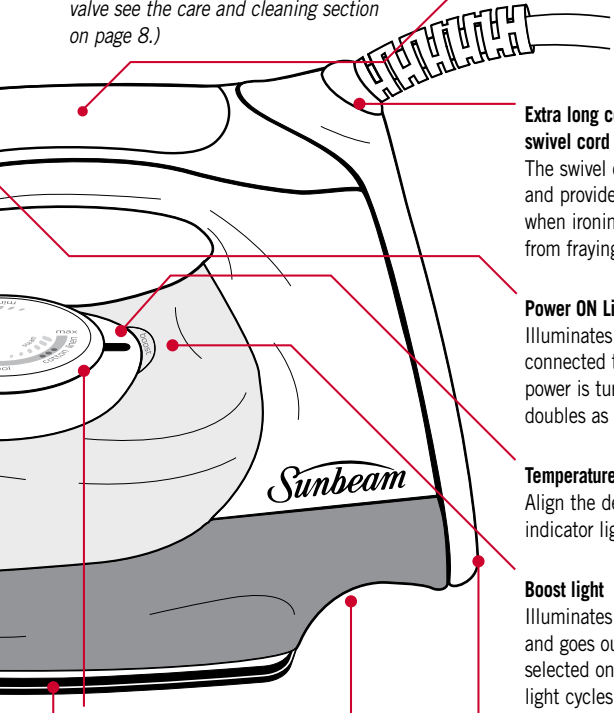


Teflon® Platinum Pro non-stick soleplate
Teflon® Platinum Pro is DuPont's premium non-stick coating. It glides easily across all types of fabric and prevents sticking. This hard wearing surface consists of a unique three coat system for superior durability and scratch resistance. It simply wipes clean for fuss free maintenance.

Variable steam
The six-position steam dial allows you to select the desired steam output for each garment. Alternatively, select the DRY setting to iron without steam.

Removable steam valve
The steam valve is connected to the steam dial, and is removable to allow for easy cleaning. Cleaning it regularly removes scale build-up that can affect its performance. *(For instructions on how to clean the steam valve see the care and cleaning section on page 8.)*

Soft grip handle
The rubber soft grip handle allows for increased comfort during ironing.



Extra long cord with swivel cord outlet
The swivel cord outlet is ideal for left or right hand use, and provides greater versatility and ease of movement when ironing. The flexible grommet protects the cord from fraying.

Power ON Light
Illuminates to indicate that the iron is connected to the power outlet and the power is turned on. The power ON light doubles as the steam dial indicator.

Temperature indicator light
Align the desired setting with the temperature indicator light.

Boost light
Illuminates to indicate that the iron is heating and goes out when it has reached the temperature selected on the temperature dial. The boost light cycles on and off during ironing as the iron maintains the selected temperature.

Stable heel rest
Extra large heel rest keeps the iron stable on the ironing board.

Temperature dial
Allows you to select the desired temperature for each garment. The adjustable temperature dial also indicates the amount of steam recommended for use on each temperature setting.

Drip-stop steam system (SR5555 & SR5540)
The drip-stop steam system automatically stops water flowing to the steam chamber should the temperature fall too low to generate steam. This prevents dripping, even at low temperatures.

Cord wrap facility
The built-in cord wrap facility allows you to wind the cord around the heel for neat and tidy storage of the cord when the iron is not in use.

Using your Sunbeam Ultura Iron

Before first use

Remove any adhesive stickers, plastic covers or cardboard sleeves from the soleplate. Ensure that all adhesive is removed by rubbing the soleplate with a cloth dampened with methylated spirits.

Fill the water tank and empty the water. This will rinse out any foreign particles remaining in the water tank from the manufacturing process.

NOTE: When turned on for the first time, your new iron may give off vapours for up to 10 minutes. This is due to the initial heating of the materials used. It is safe, not detrimental to the performance of the iron, and will not reoccur.

Filling the iron with water

Before filling the iron with water ensure the power is turned off and the plug is removed from the power outlet. The iron can be filled with water while it is hot.

1. Turn the STEAM/DRY dial to DRY.
2. Place the iron on its heel and open the water inlet cover.
3. Slowly pour water into the water inlet until the maximum water level is reached. Do not exceed the maximum water level indicator. Push the water inlet cover firmly to close.

NOTE: The special soleplate design allows you to use tap water with your Ultura iron without affecting the steam performance. However in very hard water areas, Sunbeam recommend the use of distilled water, or water which has been demineralised.

For best performance, we recommend the use of Sunbeam Water Klean, available from Sunbeam Service Centres and selected retailers. This will produce up to 30 litres of demineralised water.

Do not fill the iron with fabric conditioner, starches or any other solution as these will damage the steam mechanism. Do not use contaminated water.

Using your iron

1. Insert the 3 pin plug into a 230/240 volt power outlet and turn the power on. The power ON light (positioned on top of the handle) will illuminate to indicate that the iron is on and heating.
2. Turn the temperature dial to the desired setting by aligning the setting on the dial with the temperature indicator light. The boost light will illuminate to indicate that the iron is heating to the selected temperature. When the boost light goes out the iron is at the selected temperature and is ready to iron.

NOTE: When the temperature dial is changed from a high setting to a lower temperature setting during ironing, the boost light will go out immediately. This indicates that the iron is cooling to the selected temperature. To ensure that the iron has reached the selected temperature and is not too hot, wait until the boost light comes on again and then goes out before ironing.

Dry ironing

Follow steps 1 and 2 above.

3. Select DRY on the STEAM/DRY dial. This will cut off the steam flow if there is water in the tank.

Steam ironing

Follow steps 1 and 2 above.

NOTE: When steam ironing, ensure that the temperature dial is set to any temperature within the steam band, and that the tank is at least 1/4 full of water.

3. Turn the STEAM/DRY dial to the desired steam setting.

For best results, select the steam setting that corresponds to the selected temperature, as indicated on the temperature dial.

Using the shot of steam

The shot of steam can be used when dry or steam ironing, when the temperature dial is set to any temperature within the steam band or above the two dot (••) setting.

1. Ensure the tank is at least 1/4 full of water.
2. Select the desired temperature and wait until the boost light goes out.
3. Press the shot of steam button several times with the iron on the soleplate to prime the pump.

NOTE: If the tank has run dry, it may be necessary to re-prime the pump after filling the iron with water.

Using the spray mist (SR5555 & SR5540)

The spray mist can be used whether dry or steam ironing to pre-dampen hard to iron fabrics.

1. Ensure the tank is at least 1/4 full of water.
2. Press the spray button during ironing to release a fine mist from the spray nozzle.

Care and Cleaning

After each use

1. Turn the STEAM/DRY dial to DRY.
2. Turn the power off and remove the plug from the power outlet.
3. Empty any remaining water from the water tank.
4. Allow the iron to cool before winding the cord around the built-in cord wrap.

Storage

Always store the iron on its heel rest.

NOTE: Do not store the iron with the soleplate facing down, or in the carton.

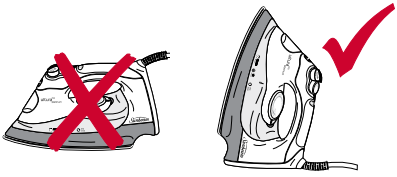


Figure 2

Cleaning

To clean the exterior of your iron, wipe over with a damp soft cloth and wipe dry.

Caution: Do not use harsh abrasives, chemical cleaners or solvents to clean the exterior of your iron as these will damage the surface.

Cleaning the removable steam valve

To remove the steam valve, turn the STEAM/DRY dial to clean, so that the steam valve pops up. Gently scrub the tip of the valve with a steel wool soap pad moistened in warm water. Rinse and dry with a clean cloth. Replace the steam valve and turn clockwise to lock into position.

Cleaning the Teflon® Platinum Pro non-stick soleplate

The non-stick coating reduces sticking of fabrics and starches to the soleplate. Do not iron over sharp objects such as buttons, studs and zippers, as these will scratch the surface.

Wipe the soleplate with a damp soft cloth after each use. If polyester has burnt to the soleplate, iron a damp cotton cloth while hot.

Caution: Do not use scouring pads, abrasives or harsh cleaners to clean your Teflon® Platinum Pro soleplate, as these will scratch and damage the surface.

To clean the steam holes

To remove build up from the steam holes which may affect steam performance, use a cotton wool tip moistened in methylated spirits.

Ultura Ironing Tips & Tricks

Tip # 27 - Iron shirts like a pro
Start with the collar, working from the outer edges into the middle. Iron the shoulder next, followed by the cuffs and sleeves. Place the collar at the narrow end of the board so that one front panel of the shirt is extended flat. Iron the front panel from shoulder to shirt tail. Rotate to iron the back of the shirt. Rotate and complete the remaining front panel.

Tip # 34 - Tips for T-shirts
Straighten seams on t-shirts before hanging out to dry. To avoid damage to printed graphics and logos turn the t-shirt inside out and iron the reverse side of the print. Never iron areas of your t-shirt where perspiration marks are visible as the heat of the iron will permanently fix the stain.

Tip # 54 - Hung out to dry
When washing is complete, remove shirts from the machine immediately, shake them out and hang them on coat hangers to air dry – this will keep wrinkles to a minimum.

Tip # 18 - Selecting the right temperature
If you are unsure of the correct setting for a particular garment, test a small area such as a seam or inside hem before ironing a visible area. Start with a low temperature and slowly increase the heat to find the best setting.

Tip # 33 - Don't be afraid to iron silk
Don't be afraid to iron silk. Although delicate in appearance, silk is the strongest and most resilient of all natural fibres. To achieve the best results, set to a silk setting and use regular shots of steam. Always use a pressing cloth to avoid shine marks.

Tip # 13 - Ironing the seam
Always press seams in the same direction they were made. When a garment is produced, the fibres will naturally settle in the direction they were initially pressed, so it's best not to iron against the grain.

Tip # 26 - Sort types of fabric
Sort articles to be ironed according to the type of fabric. This will reduce the need to adjust the temperature constantly. Start with articles requiring lower temperatures and work your way through to items requiring higher settings.

Tip # 2 - Summer frocks and frills
Steam is the key when ironing delicate summer fabrics such as muslin, cotton and linen. Don't press down with the iron, simply hover above the garment and steam it using a vertical shot of steam. Ruffling, netting, tulle or intricate hand detailing is also best ironed using this method.

Tip # 5 - Pressing your winter woollies
Steam is crucial when pressing your winter woollies. Woollen garments can be hung and steamed using the vertical shot of steam feature. After steaming, brush the garment with your hand to plump up woollen fibres. If ironing the garment flat it is best to use a pressing cloth. Don't be afraid to apply pressure – steam and hold.

Tip # 42 - Table settings to impress
To avoid unwanted creases always iron your table cloth after taking it out of the cupboard. A dinner party is a special occasion, so treat the table cloth as you would your own outfit. For best results, lay towels across your table and iron the table cloth over the towels. This will save you time and ensure a beautifully presented table setting.

Ironing Chart

Fabric	Temp setting Ironing	Ironing recommendation
Acrylic	MINIMUM Min to •	Dry iron on reverse side of fabric
Acetate	MINIMUM Min to •	Dry iron on reverse side of fabric while still damp
Nylon	MINIMUM Min to •	Iron on reverse side of fabric
Polyester	SYNTHETIC •	Iron on reverse side of fabric
Rayon	SYNTHETIC •	Iron on reverse side of fabric
Viscose	SYNTHETIC •	Mainly dry iron. Steam can be used under manufacturer's instructions
Silk	SILK • •	Iron on reverse side of fabric. Use an ironing cloth to prevent shine marks and use regular shots of steam
Cotton Blends	WOOL • •	Check label and follow manufacturer's instructions. Use setting for the fibre requiring the lowest setting
Wool	WOOL • •	Steam iron on reverse side of fabric or use an ironing cloth. Brush gently to raise the fibres
Wool Blends	WOOL • •	Steam iron on reverse side of fabric or use an ironing cloth. Brush gently to raise the fibres
Corduroy	COTTON • • •	Steam iron on reverse side of fabric or use an ironing cloth. Brush gently to raise the fibres
Cotton	COTTON • • •	Steam iron while still damp or use spray to dampen. Use medium to high steam
Linen	LINEN • • • to Max	Iron on reverse side of fabric or use an ironing cloth to prevent shine marks, especially with dark colours. Iron while still damp or use spray to dampen. Use medium to high steam
Denim	MAXIMUM • • • to Max	Iron while still damp or use spray to dampen. Use maximum steam

2 Year Replacement Guarantee

In the unlikely event that this appliance develops any malfunctio within 2 years of purchase (3 months commercial use) due to faulty materials or manufacture, we will replace it for you free of charge.

Should you experience any difficulties with your appliance, please phone our customer service line for advice on 1300 881 861 in Australia, or 0800 786 232 in New Zealand. Alternatively, you can send a written claim to Sunbeam at the address listed below. On receipt of your claim, Sunbeam will seek to resolve your difficulties or, if the appliance is defective, advise you on how to obtain a replacement or refund.

Your Sunbeam 2 Year Replacement Guarantee naturally does not cover misuse or negligent handling and normal wear and tear.

Similarly your 2 Year Replacement Guarantee does not cover freight or any other costs incurred in making a claim. Please retain your receipt as proof of purchase.

The benefits given to you by this guarantee are in addition to your other rights and remedies under any laws which relate to the appliance.

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Should your appliance require repair or service after the guarantee period, contact your nearest Sunbeam service centre.

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